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By: \_\_\_\_ Ratay

Public Administrative Order

No. 06-AO-0004-P

Effective January 1, 2006, this Administrative Order supersedes Administrative Order 03 AO 0002.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED a lawyer retained to represent a defendant in a criminal case, a lawyer appointed under the CJA to represent a defendant in a criminal case, and a lawyer employed by the Federal Defender's office who is planning to represent a defendant at an initial appearance in a criminal case, is entitled to receive a copy of the indictment in the case from the Clerk of Court upon the issuance of an order scheduling an initial appearance for the lawyer's client. Lawyers receiving a copy of an indictment pursuant to this order are directed not to disclose to anyone that the indictment has been returned or the names of any of the defendants in the indictment until no earlier than two hours before the time scheduled for the initial appearance.

The Clerk of Court is directed to place a copy of this order in the Public Administrative Orders binder.

DONE AND ORDERED this 1st day of January, 2006.

MARK W. BENNETT, Chief Judge

United States District Court Northern District of Iowa